

### **Remarks**

Claims 1-12, 14-18, and 20-25 are pending in the application. Claims 1-12 and 14-17 have been allowed. Claims 22 and 25 are indicated as having allowable subject matter. Claims 18 and 25 have been amended. Claim 22 has been cancelled. Reconsideration and re-examination of the application is respectfully requested.

1. The Examiner has rejected claims 18, 20, 21, 23, and 24 as being anticipated by U.S. Patent No. 5,616,052 issued to Pan et al.

Claim 18 has been amended to include all of the claim limitations of dependant claim 22, which has been indicated as being allowable by the Examiner if re-written to include all of the claim limitations of its base claim and any intervening claims. Claim 22 has been cancelled. Because all of the claim limitations of claim 22 and its intervening claims have been added to claim 18, Pan et al. does not teach all of the claim limitations of claim 18. Claim 18 is therefore considered to be in condition for allowance and removal of the rejection thereof is respectfully requested.

Claims 20, 21, 23, and 24 depend from independent claim 18. Because claim 18 is considered to be in condition for allowance for the reasons previously stated herein, claims 20, 21, 23, and 24 are also considered to be in condition for allowance. Removal of the rejection is therefore respectfully requested.

2. The Examiner has objected to claim 22 as being dependant upon a rejected base claim. Claim 22 has been amended to include all of the elements of its base claim and any intervening claims. Because all of the claim limitations of its base claim and its intervening claims have

been added to claim 22, claim 22 is considered to be in condition for allowance. Removal of the objection thereof is respectfully requested.

In view of the amendments and arguments presented herein, the application is considered to be in condition for allowance. Reconsideration and passage to issue is respectfully requested.

Please charge the additional fee of \$200.00 for the independent claim added in this application and any other fees associated with this application to Deposit Order Account No. 501581.

Respectfully submitted,

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